



AF/1615 #

<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b>		Docket No.:	ABB1130P0800US
Serial No.:	09/216,242	Filing Date:	December 18, 1998
Group Art Unit:	1615	Examiner:	Kishore, Gollamudi S
Applicant(s):	Lipari, et al.		
Invention:	Novel Formulations Comprising Lipid-Regulating Agents		

Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 07/21/2003 in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

Extension Fee For Response Within:	First Month	Second Month	Third Month	Fourth Month
<b>Large Entity:</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$110.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$410.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$930.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,450.00
<b>Small Entity:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$205.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$725.00

- A check in the amount of 110.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.
- Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on August 28, 2003.

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